

Boston City Council

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The Boston City Council's Committee on Healthy Women, Families & Communities will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, May 28, 2014 at 10:00 AM. The hearing will be held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber on the Fifth Floor of Boston City Hall. The subject of the hearing is two dockets:

DOCKET 0703: Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds of Seventy Five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000.00) from the Kendall Foundation. These funds will support a food system resilience study to address vulnerabilities in Boston's regional food system and to propose policy and programmatic responses to those vulnerabilities.

DOCKET 0704: Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend funds of Sixty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$65,000.00) from Local Sustainability Matching Fund, a project of the Funders Network for the Smart Growth and Livable Communities, in partnerships with the Urban Sustainability Directors Network. These funds will support a food systems resilience study to address vulnerabilities in Boston's regional food systems and to propose policy and programmatic responses to those vulnerabilities.

Both dockets were sponsored by Mayor Martin J. Walsh and were referred to the Committee on Healthy Women, Families & Communities on April 16, 2014.

Members of the public are cordially invited to attend and testify. If you have not previously testified at a hearing of the Boston City Council, please arrive five (5) minutes before the call of the hearing to sign in and become familiar with the hearing format, testimony locations, and sound system. Please bring fifteen (15) copies of any written documentation you wish to present at the hearing. If you know of others who may be interested in this hearing, kindly notify them.

Written comments may be made part of the record and available to all Councilors by sending them by e-mail, fax, or mail to arrive prior to the hearing. Please use the contact information below for all purposes related to this hearing.

NOTICE: The Boston City Council may have a quorum in attendance due to standing committees of the City Council consisting of both voting and non-voting members. However, members attending this duly posted meeting are participating and deliberating only in conjunction with the business of the standing committee.

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